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Thomas J. Perkowski

Serial No. :

08/871,815 June 9, 1997

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Title of Invention:

INTERNET-BASED SYSTEM FOR COLLECTING,

MANAGING AND SERVING CONSUMER PRODUCT-RELATED INFORMATION OVER THE INTERNET USING TRADEMARKS AND UNIVERSAL RESOURCE LOCATORS (URLS) SYMBOLICALLY-LINKED BY MANUFACTURERS

OF CONSUMER PRODUCTS AND/OR THEIR AGENTS

Examiner

Yogesh Garg

Group Art Unit:

3625

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Signed at Stamford, Connecticut this 2 day of May, 1998.

Thomas I Porkowski

State of Connecticut)

County of Fairfield

) ss:

This day before me personally appeared Thomas J. Perkowski, Esq., who acknowledged the foregoing instrument and subscribed by him to be his free act and deed.

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Signed at Stamford, Connecticut this 13 day of May, 1998.

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This day before me personally appeared Thomas J. Perkowski, Esq., who acknowledged the foregoing instrument and subscribed by him to be his free act and deed.

Phyllis L. Mason
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